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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

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LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE AND METHOD OF FABRICATING  
THE SAME  
Assignee: NEC LCD TECHNOLOGIES, LTD  
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Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 68 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract and 36 sheets of formal drawings. **Copies of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.** Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) with references.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>35</u>	-	20	=	<u>15</u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>\$270.00</u>
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Japan	2003-076169	March 19, 2003
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Respectfully submitted,  
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